

**NOTICE OF APPEAL FROM THE PRIMARY EXAMINER TO
THE BOARD OF PATENT APPEALS AND INTERFERENCES (Large Entity)**

Docket No.
98,375-C

In Re Application Of: Mehta et al.

Serial No.
09/701,979

Filing Date
June 27, 1999

Examiner
Z. Lucas

Group Art Unit
1648

Invention:

Method for Staining Biological Specimens by Combining Unstable Reagents on a Microscopic Slide

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TO THE COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS:

Applicant(s) hereby appeal(s) to the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences from the decision of the Primary Examiner dated **April 21, 2003** finally rejecting Claim(s) **1, 2, 4-12**

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Dated: **October 21, 2003**

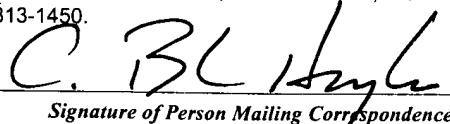
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